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Subject:RE: D Division / Manitoba Freedom Convoy Support Demonstrations - 2022-02-12 (1800hrs)

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Attached SIT REP for current/emerging blockade at the Emerson, MB Port of Entry as well as other known events.

Narrative below for viewing on mobile devices.

Updates to follow as new information is gathered.

Scott

Supt. Scott McMurchy
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Irrelevant

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Update for February 12th, 2022 1800 hrs.

PURPOSE:

- To provide the Commissioner with information regarding concurrent Support Freedom Convoys in area in Manitoba

ISSUE:
- Freedom Convoy Support demonstrations are continuing in many jurisdiction in Manitoba
  Update for February 12th, 2022 1800hrs.

BACKGROUND:
- The Support Freedom Convoy was created as a means for truckers and others to demonstrate against cross-border Covid vaccine mandates and in support of the Freedom Convoy in Ottawa.

CURRENT STATUS/EMERGING EVENT:
- As of 1700hrs the Emerson POE remains blockaded. All other POE within Manitoba remain open and have no protesters.

- A large number of farm equipment, semi tractors, trailers and other vehicles remain on site.

- Division Liaison Team continued efforts throughout the day to meet with lawyer who is representing the protesters. DLT updated site commander and DANCO and will continue to identify an on site spokesperson. Focus remains in resolution of the blockade at the POE. Later this afternoon DLT's located and met with Overwater and her spouse at the protest site. DLTS outlined potential charges that the group may face including Provincial Highway Traffic Act and Criminal Code as well as the potential seizure of trucks and farm equipment being used. Overwater to provide this information to the larger group. Some of the protest group advised that they are concerned about their own farm operations as well as potential action of the Canada Revenue Agency.

- During the day, protesters were allowing free movement of all livestock transport, CBSA employees, emergency services vehicles and not impeding residential traffic from the town of Emerson.

- A church service is still planned for the protest site for 100hrs tomorrow. DLTs plan to meet with Overwater again following the service. DLTs are aware that the focus remains to have the blockade taken down.

- Should additional POEs be blocked by protesters or any significant escalation of the protest occur, D Div DEOC will be stood up.

OTHER KNOWN/PLANNED EVENTS: Saturday February 12th

- All other planned or known events this date in Manitoba took place without any significant issues. A majority of the support convoys from outside Winnipeg are believed to have converged on the Manitoba Legislature to further support that protest.

- A large number of anti-protest persons were also in attendance at the Manitoba Legislature.

- At the time of this report there have been no reports of violence between the groups. Winnipeg Police Service has a large presence on site.

STRATEGIC CONSIDERATIONS:

- Situations are on-going and will be continuously monitored. At present D Division has sufficient resources available to manage these concurrent events.

- D Division Criminal Operations is holding an operational planning session (resource assessment, contingency and operational planning. D Division Tactical Support Group has been advised. No request for deployment of TSG resources as yet.

- D Division Communication is engaged with prepared messaging for the public and responses to media inquiries.